KADUR DISTRICT.

Proceedings of the District Fund Board meeting convened on Tuesday the 29th January 1895.

PRESENT.

H. H. Sparkes, Esq., President.

Official Members.

1. Mr. D. Ranga Rao, Executive Engineer.
2. Dr. A. S. Fernandes, Civil Surgeon.
3. Mr. Kumarsami Naik, General Assistant Commissioner.
4. Mr. C. Krishna Rao, Amildar, Tarikere.
5. Mr. P. Srinivasa Rao, Amildar, Chikmagalur.
6. Mr. N. Subba Rao, Amildar, Mudgere.
7. Mr. R. Mahadeva Rao, Amildar, Kadur.

Non-Official Members.

8. Mr. Kuppusami Pille, Tarikere.
9. Mr. Ganesha Rao, Mudgere.
10. Mr. Sankarappa, Yedahalli.
11. Mr. G. R. Oliver, Chikmagalur.
12. Mr. B. Gundappa, Inamdar.

ABSENT.

Official Members.

1. Mr. N. Subba Rao, Amildar, Koppa.

Non-Official Members.

1. Mr. P. Ranganna, Kadur.

A. The following orders of Government and statements were read with the results noted against each.

1. Proceedings No. 9881-4—L. F. 51-92, dated 17th December 1894, sanctioning the establishment of a Dispensary at Sringeri.	Recorded.
2. Proceedings No. 7459-61—L. F. 76-94, dated 13th November 1894, sanctioning the Chitaldroog Deputy Commissioner's proposal to entertain one care-taker for each of the 3rd class Bungalows and Musafarkhanas.	*Resolved* that the establishment for each of the 3rd class Bungalows be one Kotval and a sweeper, so that one of the two servants may always be present at the Bungalow and that a watcher be appointed for each Musafarkhana.
3. Proceedings No. 7603—L. F. 322-92, dated 15th November 1894, doing away with the services of Dandi attached to the 3rd class Bungalow at Narve.	Recorded.
4. Proceedings No. 11156-8—L. F. 374-92, dated 21st January 1895, sanctioning a further grant of Rs. 7,100 from L. F. General in addition to Rs. 5,000 already sanctioned for incomplete works under Revenue and Public Works Department agencies.	Recorded.
5. Official Memo No. 3351—L. F. 272-93, requesting to state whether the repairs to the Halalkere katte are necessary for the convenience of the inhabitants of the village. If so, whether it cannot be improved at the cost of District Funds.	It is the opinion of the Board that the money spent on this work would only be a waste, as the katte in question will not retain water all the year round and the Board therefore suggest that funds may be granted for a well if the villagers do the earthwork.
6. Statement of expenditure from District Funds and Local Funds General from 1st July to the end of December 1894 for works under Revenue and Public Works Department agencies.	Recorded with the remark that a very small amount has been spent by the Revenue Department and it is hoped that a more satisfactory expenditure will be shown in future.
7. The statement of estimated receipts from District Funds for the year 1895-96 was then read in conjunction with the statement of Civil charges and of District Fund works to be executed by Public Works Department.	1. The statement of works "Repairs" costing Rs. 23,555 prepared and placed by the Executive Engineer was read in detail and approved of by the Board.
1. Birur-Lingadahalli extension. 2. Chikmagalur to Gendehalli. 3. Kadur to Pura. 4. Tarikere-Kathlekan to pass over the bed of Dalavaikere. 5. Dantermakki-Hiremagalur road.	2. Several new roads (noted in the margin) proposed by the Executive Engineer and other members were approved of by the Board as all of them are important and necessary works. But the Board observing that the amount available for expenditure is quite inadequate to cover the

cost of all the above works, resolved that Rs. 525 and Rs. 250 be granted for works Nos. 4 and 5 respectively and the rest be kept for consideration when funds become available.

After some discussion as to the advisability of reducing civil charges, a sum of Rs 21,228 was allotted as per list attached.

B. The undermentioned works proposed by the Amildars and other members were then read and considered.

The Board having heard all the proposals, rejected most of them, though important, for want of funds and approved of the following :—

(*a*) Proposed by the Amildar of Tarikere.
1. Deepening Honda at Kuntanamadu.
2. Repairing katte in Kudlur.
3. Repairing katte in Kallenahalli.
4. Raising the anikat across Lingadahalli Bekkinahalla.
5. Road from Ajjampur to Channagiri *vid* Bukkambudhi.
6. Branch road from Kesarkoppa to Sompur.

Resolved that Rs. 450 be granted for a well at Kuntanamadu instead of deepening the Honda, No. 1.

(*b*) Proposed by the Amildar of Kadur.
1. Chavadi at the eastern end of Kadur Town.
2. Stone-lining a well at Niduvalli.
3. Stone-lining 4 other wells in Kadur Taluk.
4. Filling up Sakrepatna Honda.
5. Bathing ghat at Sakrepatna.
6. Musafarkhana at Birur.
7. Repairing Chavadi at Nidaghatta.

Resolved that Rs. 254 be granted for a well at Niduvalli.

(*c*) Proposed by the Amildar of Mudgere.
1. Repairing roads in Mudgere Town.
2. Chavadi at Mudgere.
3. Wards for sick strangers.
4. Wells in Gonibid and Kalasa.
5. Extension of Mangalore-Bangadi road *vid*, Samsó.

Resolved that the cost of repairing roads in Mudgere Town be met from the sum allotted for sanitation.

(*d*) Proposed by the Amildar of Koppa.
1. Bathing ghat at Hariharpur.
2. Market at Koppa.
3. Road from Kulur to Huligaradi.
4. Sankas or wooden bridges across streams.
5. Musafarkhana at Hariharpur.
6. Bridge across Magarhakkahalla in Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Resolved that Rs. 300 be granted for work No. 1, Bathing ghat at Hariharpur.

Work No. 6 being beyond the means at the disposal of District Funds, resolved that it cannot be undertaken.

(*e*) Proposed by the Amildar of Chikmagalur.
1. Sinking a well at Hosahalli.
2. Repairing Magadi-Mirle road.
3. Road from Hirekolale to Uppahalli.

Resolved that Rs. 350 be allotted for work No. 1, the villagers being required to do the earthwork.

Resolved that Rs. 50 be granted for work No. 2 as the road is reported to be in an almost impassable state.

The Amildars have addressed the Board the difficulty of procuring the services of sweepers for Rs. 4 and 5 a month.

Resolved by the Board that as permanent hands cannot be obtained for this small pay, it would be better to allot a certain lump sum to each Taluk so that the Amildars may employ a gang of coolies whenever necessary to clear up villages.

Proposed to build a Dispensary at Balur.

Resolved that as the Dispensary is for the benefit of the planters and their coolies entirely, it cannot be built and maintained by District Funds unless an annual subscription is promised by planters as in the case of Sollebail.

Proposed by Mr. Ganesh Rao, that Government be requested to grant Rs. 20,000 from Local Fund General for this District during 1895-96 for new roads and well works left unprovided from District Funds.

As the estimated receipts under District Funds for 1895-96 is quite insufficient to meet the numerous demands, it was unanimously resolved that a liberal grant be asked for from Local Fund General for that year.

Subjoined is the abstract of estimated Receipts and Expenditure for 1895-96 as shown in the detailed statements accompanying the Proceedings ;—

		Rs.
1.	Estimated balance on 1st July 1895	7,357
2.	Ditto Receipts for 1895-96	52,769
	Total including Balance ..	60,126

Estimated Expenditure for 1895-96—

	Rs.	
a Civil Charges ..	..	21,228
b Works to be executed by the Public Works Department	..	30,065
c Works to be executed by Revenue Department	..	2,229
Total Expenditure ..		53,522
Closing Balance ..		6,604

List of different works upon which it is proposed to spend Rs. 20,000 asked for from Government.

	Rs.
Stone-lining 4 wells in Kadur Taluk, of which the raiyats are doing earthwork .	1,000
Filling up Sakrepatna Honda ..	300
Musafarkhana at Birur ..	2,100
Chavadi at Nidaghatta ..	360
Sick wards for in-patients at Mudgere ..	600
Well at Gonibid ..	500
Water-supply at Kalasa ..	500
Anikat across Lingadahalli Bekkinahalla ..	500
Extension of Birur-Lingadahalli road ..	1,000
Road from Chikmagalur to Gendehalli ..	1,000
Kadur-Pura road. ..	1,000
Total ..	8,860
Closing Balance ..	8,428
Reserve Fund ..	2,712
Grand Total ..	20,000

H. H. SPARKES, *Dy. Comr.*

CHITALDROOG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 6th April 1895.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the undermentioned Minor Forest products of the Jogimatti State Forest of this District will be sold by public auction at the Chitaldroog Taluk Cutcherry at 11 A. M. on the 30th April 1895, subject to the following conditions :—

(1) Bids will not be accepted after the time fixed for the sale has expired.
(2) The highest bidder shall, immediately after the closing of the sale, deposit twenty-five per cent of the sale amount, and pay up the balance within fifteen days from the date of the sale.
(3) When such deposit is not made or the remaining purchase money is not paid up in due course, the Minor Forest products will be re-sold at the risk of the first purchaser and the amount of deficiency recovered from him as a revenue demand.

Gall-nut. | Kalhuvvu. | Antavaladakayi. | Gerubija (marking nut) and Tarekayi.

C. SRINIVASAIENGAR, *Dy. Comr.*

Season Report of the Mysore District for the month of February 1895.

Rainfall.—There was no rain-fall in any of the Taluks of the District, except in Chamrajnagar, where the fall was 1 inch 60 cents during the month.

Crops.—Sugar-cane was planted during the month. Paddy, oil-seed, togari, ragi, Bengal-gram, and sugar-cane, were harvested. The standing crops of sugar-cane, paddy, mulberry, cotton, Bengal-gram, &c., are reported to be in good condition.

Health.—The public health has been reported to be good in all the Taluks.

Cattle.—Murram prevailed in some parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Mandya, Heggaddevankote, Yedatore, Hunsur and Krishnarajpete Taluks. The total number of deaths from this was 87 and from other causes 1,472, making a total of 1,559.

Prices.—Rice, 1st sort, 9 seers per rupee. | Ragi 28 seers per rupee.
„ 2nd sort, 10½ ditto | Horse-gram 28 ditto

Lands assessed at Rs. 291-12-1 were taken up for cultivation during the month.

K. RAMANUJAIENGAR, for *Dy. Comr.*